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charged in burglary

Aracacha, whose name was linked with the Kennedy assassination probe in 1963, Thursday was charged with simple burglary in Houston.

Sheriff Bill Decker received a visit from Terrebonne Parish Atty. William Breton, who charged he is in connection with the burglary of a municipal court at Houma in 1963. Aracacha voluntarily went to the sheriff's office here and paid a \$1,000 bond set by Justice of the Peace Charlie T. Duhon. State authorities had a warrant for his arrest.

Earlier in the week, Aracacha was charged with conspiracy to commit burglary at Houma. That warrant came from Orleans Dist. Atty. Garrison, who claims the assassination of President Kennedy was plotted in his city. Aracacha has said he has no extradition on the charge, and there were no efforts to do so in the burglary allegation. Aracacha, who has lived in New Orleans since 1963 and works with a part division of an advertising firm, said he has no "knowing pertinent" to the New Orleans officials. He had no activities while in New Orleans, he said, with any plot to assassinate the president.

The New Orleans charge against Aracacha and Gordon Novak, named along with Andrew Feuerstein in the conspiracy to commit burglary.

Aracacha, a 35-year-old naturalized citizen, was the first person to be charged into his role in the assassination "plot." He also was named in

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By Gary L. Shaw, a retired police officer charged with conspiring to murder President Kennedy.

William J. Drury, administrator of the state's public records, was ordered in the subpoena to have the file on Shaw ready to be produced in criminal court here April 24.

EXCEPT FOR THE subpoena, a matter of public record, Garrison's controversial probe was conducted in secret way, trailed by reporters and enriched by an odd twist of fate involving the Louisiana governor's office.

In Baton Rouge, Thomas E. Burkhardt, superintendent of state files, said his department recently bought "anti-bugging" electronic equipment from Gordon Novak — the same Dist. Atty. Garrison is trying to pry out of Ohio for questioning in the probe.

Burkhardt said the equipment was purchased from a New Orleans firm headed by Novak. In a 1968 report that the governor's office was being "bugged" with hidden microphones,

"We never did find any bugging in the office," said Burkhardt.

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and headed out of state beyond Garrison's legal reach, after an appeal before the grand jury to the alleged conspiracy. President John F. Kennedy

"A police state inquiry," he said, in condemning investigation. He was held near Columbus, Ohio, Saturday on warrants received from a burglary company filed by Garrison. He was under \$10,000 bond. He said he will fight the charges.

1961 burglary involved use of explosives from a company's storage building in Baton Rouge, La. Its connection with the alleged assassination conspiracy, if any, was unclear.

TOM P. MARTIN, a 21-year-old University of Southern California student, positive he was a perjury suspect, based on his testimony to the grand jury March 29 in the New Orleans case, was indicted in the New Orleans grand jury on a charge of perjury in connection with the burglary.

Martin told reporters he said that he lived with Lee Harvey Oswald for a period last year and was certain that Oswald had Lee Harvey Oswald's name in the apartment.

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Records in the Louisiana attorney general's office show that he was filing papers in New Orleans, including "List of Novel among Operators."

John Andrews, 26, was indicted on a perjury charge in connection with the grand jury in the New Orleans case.

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